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WORKFORCE INVESTMENT NOTICE: 05-16, Change 1

TO: WORKFORCE INVESTMENT AREAS

FROM: John J. O'Hare, Administrator - Workforce Investment Office

SUBJECT: Local Plan Modification

DATE: July 25, 2006

Purpose: To provide guidance to the local Areas in the preparation of the second year modification to the 2 year Local Plan. This change introduces new performance standards to replace average earnings change for the Adult and Dislocated Worker performance categories. The new performance standard requires that average earnings over the last six (6) months will be measured as opposed to the average earnings change. In addition, the new performance standards for these new measurements for Program Year 2006 are included in the Performance Chart below.

Background: Performance standards for Adult and Dislocated Worker average earnings were determined as the result of re-negotiations between Region I, ETA, USDOL and the State of Rhode Island.

References: Workforce Investment Act; WIA final Regulations dated August 11, 2000; Workforce Investment Notice 04-03; TEGL 17-05.

Action: Locals should be preparing the Adult, Youth and Dislocated Worker modification for the 2nd year of the 2-year plan.

Inquiries: Questions concerning this subject may be directed to John O'Hare at 462-8782 (johare@dlt.state.ri.us) or Bob Garofano at 462-8149 (bgarofano@dlt.state.ri.us).

Chart of Performance Expectations			
PROGRAM GROUP	MEASURE	PERFORMANCE GOALS	
		PY2006	PY2007
		Negotiated	
ADULT	Entered Employment Rate (Section 136 of the Workforce Investment Act [WIA] and TEGL 17-05)	82%	TBD
	Employment Retention Rate (Section 136 of the Workforce Investment Act [WIA] and TEGL 17-05)	85%	TBD
	Average Earnings (Section 136 of the Workforce Investment Act [WIA] and TEGL 17-05)	\$ 10,866	TBD
	Employment and Credential/ Certificate Rate (Section 136 of the Workforce Investment Act [WIA] and TEGL 17-05)	66%	TBD
DISLOCATED WORKER	Entered Employment Rate (Section 136 of the Workforce Investment Act [WIA] and TEGL 17-05)	89%	TBD
	Employment Retention Rate (Section 136 of the Workforce Investment Act [WIA] and TEGL 17-05)	92%	TBD
	Average Earnings (Section 136 of the Workforce Investment Act [WIA] and TEGL 17-05)	\$13,650	TBD
	Employment and Credential/ Certificate Rate (Section 136 of the Workforce Investment Act [WIA] and TEGL 17-05)	78.5%	TBD